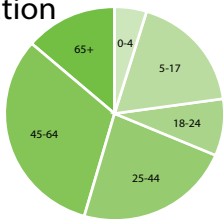


Posey County

Tobacco Prevention and Cessation Commission
Indiana State Department of Health

Total Population
25,910



Population by age group

Hispanic 248
White..... 25,185
African American 233

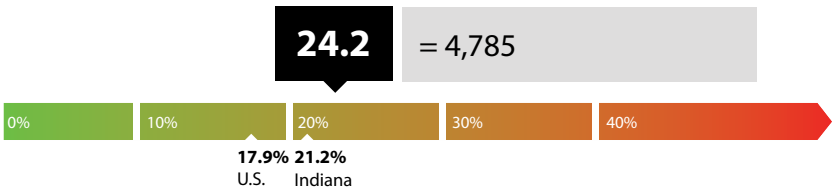
Population by race

Ph: (317) 234-1787
website: www.in.gov/isdh/tpc

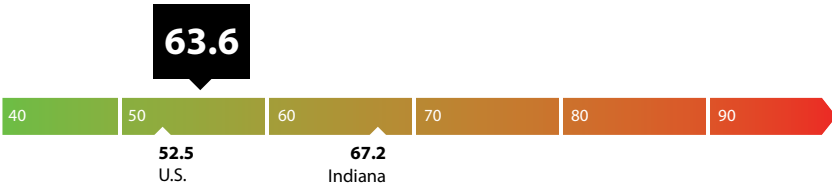


TOBACCO AND HEALTH IN POSEY COUNTY

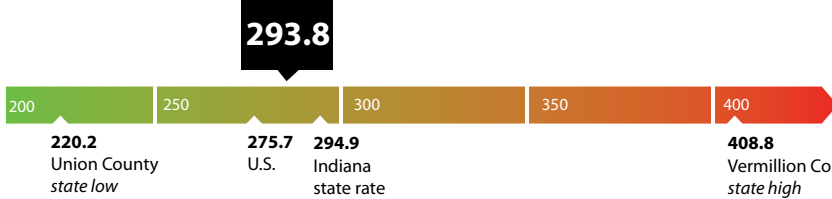
Percent of adults who smoke



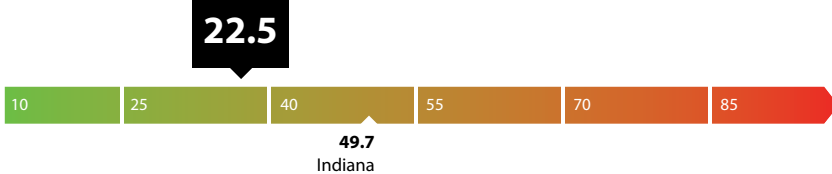
Lung cancer deaths per 100,000 residents



Cardiovascular disease deaths per 100,000 residents



Asthma related emergency room visits per 10,000 residents



Smoking and pregnancy

Births affected by smoking **64**

low birth weight, SIDS, reduced lung function

Cost of smoking related births **\$110,664**

Percent of pregnant women who smoke

Indiana **18.5%**
Posey County **25.6%**

Smoking deaths

Deaths attributable to smoking
43

Deaths due to secondhand smoke

5
Economic burden of secondhand smoke: \$1.5 million

Smoking related illness

866

TOBACCO CONTROL FUNDING

The CDC recommends the Indiana government spend **\$78 million** each year on tobacco prevention and control programs.
Actual spending in Indiana: **\$10 million**

\$4.8 billion
Economic cost in Indiana due to smoking, according to the Centers for Disease Control.
Cost per Indiana citizen: **\$740**

TOBACCO FREE POLICIES

School Districts:

- M S D Mt. Vernon
- New Harmony Town & Township Consolidated School Corporation

For the 2011-2013 grant cycles, there is not a funded tobacco prevention and cessation coalition. Please contact the Tobacco Prevention and Cessation Commission of the Indiana State Department of Health at 317.234.1787

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